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CIRCUIT COURT is held on the Fourth Monday in October and April. COUNTY COURT convenes on the First Mon-day of March, June, September and December. PROBATE COURT is held on the First Monday in February, May, August and November.

Societies.

IRON LODGE No. 107, I. O. O. F. meets every Monday evening, at its Hall, in Ironton. PHEBE LODGE No. 330, I.O.O.F., ineets every Thursday evening, in Masonic Hall, Cross Roads. Pilor Knob Longe, No. 253, A. O. U. W., meets every Priday evening at Odd Fellows' Hall, Pilot Knob.

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Churches.

SERVICES in the Presbyterian Church every abbath morning at 10½ o'clock. Sabbath School ½ o'clock. Prayer Meeting every Wednesday at 8 P. M. A. O; PENNIMAN, Pastor.

Sun lay morning, at 10 o'clock. HIGH Mass and Sermon at Arcadia College every Sanday at So'clock A. M. Vespers and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament at 5o'clock P. M. Mass and Sermon at Pilot Knob Catholic Church at 10:30 o'clock A. M. Sunday School for children at 1:30 o'clock P. M.

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LOCAL BREVITIES.

We salute you this week on the half-shell.

The deer-hunting season will soon expire.

On and after the 15th inst. the sport will be

Hon. Thes. Mabrey, of Doniphan, writes

us to say, in reference to a sample copy of

search of a habitation, ought to be carefully

for the unwary, and valuable letters might

be lest. Isn't it the duty of the post-office

people to see that the old unauthorized

Watch night service will be held at the

Fort Hill Church on Wednesday night, De-

cember 31st, conducted by Rev. H. Hanes-

worth, who will preach a sermon sulted to

the close of the year. Revs. Berryman,

Thomas and Worsnop will assist in the exer-

cises of the occasion. Selections of appro-

priate music will be rendered. The service

will begin promptly at 9:30, and close at

We had the pleasure last Saturday of

grasping by the hand, our old friend and fel-

friends and acquaintances in the Valley, all

of whom will be glad to know that he pros-

pers fairly in the world and is in good health

His stay here was unexpectedly shortened,

and he could not greet many of his old

the arms of a windmill in a hurricane

Grumbling Tax-Payers.

refusing such liberal appropriations.

It may be true, too, as some grumblers as

a few years ago, did not exceed \$500 to \$800. while the present Court has expended

nearly \$1300, in six months past. The times,

lation has increased but little, there is no

The impression seems to have gained ac-

self to be imposed upon by some of the

Doctors, as well as some of the paupers.

nonths practice on Old Uncle Isaac's chron-

service was rendered Uncle Isaac for many

But, grumblers must also bear in mind

that suffering paupers must be relieved

The law provides for that. It is the duty of

funds of the County will allow.

Dec. 26th, 1884.

many that are refused.

of those who get help.

spring and say "howdy" to all.

his resolution.

openings are closed on the outside?

that case made and provided.

BY ELI D. AKE.

VOLUME XVIII.

OUR GOD, OUR COUNTRY, AND TRUTH:

IRONTON, MO., THURSDAY, JANUARY 1, 1885.

THE LATEST!

of the Public to

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The FINEST TEAS in Original Packages: Imperial Oolong, and Japan Black & Green.

When I began business, some of the proprietors of other houses gave me 6 months in which to get very tired; but I have been running nine months, and feel "fresh as a daisy." My trade has been better than I could have reasonably expected, and I hope, by strict attention to business, fair dealing, and polite treatment of patrons, to still further increase it—and don't you forget it!

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Fresh Roasted Rio Always Pure Teas, Cocoa, Furniture Made and Repaired. and Java Coffees, ON HAND. and Chocolate.

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more money right away than anything else in more money right away than anything else in Remodeled Building, Corner Main and Reynolds Streets.

Assignee's Sale.

The Merchandise lately comprising the stock of John M. Moore, is now offered for My desire is to call Special Attention sale by the undersigned, Assignee, at GREAT- us to say, in reference to a sample copy of Brief sent him from this office: "I consider LY REDUCED PRICES, at the old stand in the I hope your enterprise will be duly appre-PRICES. I. O. O. F. building. This stock consists of

BOOTS & SHOES, CROCERIES,

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NUMBER 25. AT LOW PRICES.

DIED .- At his residence, in Ironton, Mo., on Monday evening, at 10 o'clock, Dec 29th, 1884, BERNARD RUTSCHMAN, aged 60 years 4 months and 9 days. Funeral will take place from the residence at 2 o'clock P. no longer in accordance with the statute in M. to-day (Wednesday). Services will be conducted by the I.O.O.F. Friends are requested to attend.

Report of Ironton Public School.

PRINCIPAL'S DEPARTMENT. · Archie Reel, Eddie Fairchild, Walter Ake, Wesley Beard, Eddie Thomas, Mattie Jones, Nora Russell, Addle Pettit.

There is a mighty bad piece of sidewalk INTERMEDIATE DEPARTMENT. just this side of the 'Bonanza" premises. It Maud Fletcher, Hattle Kesling, Harold Broadwell, Jimmie Doty, Charlie Jones, ought to be fixed up before some unlucky youngster smothers in the wealth of mire O'Neal Palmer, Freddie Russell. that there abounds, and we direct the atten-PRIMARY DEPARTMENT.

tion of the city authorities to the matter. Lillie Alberts, Blanche Fletcher, Lulu Some pedestrians are "kicking like a mule" Presnell, Katie Presnell, Doty Bellis, Frank Broadwell, Aleck Fletcher, Emmet Reagan, Those holes, recently cut in the doors by Minnie Alberts, Munson Thomas, Charlie the post-office people, while that useful in-Thomas, Alva Hallam. stitution was perambulating the city in

Number of pupils enrolled, 156; average number attending each day, 122; average covered on the outside. They are now a trap number days attendance by each pupil 15.

Names of Visitors: Mr. Patton, of N. O., Dr. Dowling, Mr. Hutchinson, of St. Louis.

JOHN B. SCOTT, Principal. Personal.

Judge Palmer was in town Monday. W. A. Tetwiler left for St. Louis Sunday. J. H. Smith went to Marble Hill Thursday. W. R. Patterson of Chicago, Ill., is in this

T. P. Fitz, of Des Arc, was in town last

Will Reese went to Poplar Bluff Tuesday Chas, Kindel, of De Soto, was in town

low-citizen, William White, now of Belleville, Ill. Though a little grayer, and in R. A. Clarkson, of Annapolis, was in town other respects showing the insidious attacks of time, he is the same genial, whole-souled G. A. Moser and wife were in St. Louis "Bill White" of years agone. He has many

Assessor Harral, of Belleview, was in the city Tuesday. Mr. Payne, of St. Louis county, made J. W. Speck a visit last week.

Mrs. J. W. Speck left for Trondale, to visit friends, but he promises to return in the her father, who is quite ill. Mrs. Etta Tony, of Piedmont, is here visit-

because of the disappearance of the snow Misses Theresa Begley and Emma Peck went to Poplar Bluff Saturday. He quit before the thaw came. Last Friday Wm. White, of Belleville, Ills., was in evening, as he was coming down Main street behind a fast goer, the f. g. took a shy, spill-Ironton last Saturday, and made us a call. ed his driver out, and proceeded on his way Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Winningham, of West Plains, were in town visiting relatives and like a streak of lightning. At the post-office

the sleigh collided with the curbing of the H. L. Peck, after a visit of several weeks sidewalk, the shafts were detached, and the horse went on down the street with them in this place, left to resume work at Willow flying over his back and revolving like unto Springs, Monday.

New Court Rules.

Winkler, when he came along, resembled a snow-man. He then and there solemnly Judge Thomas has handed us the fellow-"swore off," and may be relied upon to keep ing Rules of Court, which he has adopted to govern in this circuit from December 25, 1884: Every applicant for license to practice law, before he shall be licensed, shall undergo a strict| examination in open court by the Ed. Register-Ever since the publication Judge of this court and the regular licensed of the proceedings of the County Court at its attorneys present, as to his qualifications, by last session, a great deal of grumbling has written or printed questions and written been done by many tax-payers, largely on answers by which he shall satisfy the Court ecount of what they call "the extravagant that he has consecutively read and studied and reckless amount" expended for paupers. Blackstone and Kent's Commentaries, Green-There is no doubt but a great many perleaf on Evidence, Parsons on Contract, Bishsons think the County Court to blame for op's Criminal Law, Stephen and Bliss on not exercising more rigid economy in this Pleadings, Story on Promissory Notes, Bismatter, and in not having more backbone in ham's Equity, Cooley's Constitutional Limitations, Sharswood's Legal Ethics, and chap-Perhaps it may be true that our present ters 1, 6, 10, 19, 20, 23, 24, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, Court is too kind-hearted and too easily impressed with the persuasive appeals of the 48, 51, 52, 56, 59, 62, 64, 66, 67, 68, 69, 71 and needy, but too severe censure should not be 72 of the R. S., 1879, and all Statutes amendapplied, for to err in this matter is certainly atory thereto, passed since the revisiou of humane, at least, even if not in all its ex-1879; and he shall answer correctly, or subtent, just to the many poor tax-payers, many of whom are but little better able stantially so, at least seventy per cent. of the questions propounded to him, provided that physically to support then selves than some this rule shall not apply to a party who has received a diploma, or certificate of gradua-

tion, from some reputable law school. sert, that there is no limit to the demand for id, if the Court finds itself too timid to say A BRICK COTTAGE FOR RENT, in the north end of town; 6 rooms and cellar. Ap-They paint to the fact that the whole an-W. L. BROWN. nual expenditures by the old County Court

As to Your City Taxes.

After waiting long, and patiently abiding the excuses of delinquents, the City Collector desires us to notify them, once again for all, that he will stand no more nonsense; that he is compelled by law to make the taxes, if lation has increased but little, there is no such change in the condition of the poor as down; that if he doesn't do his duty all to justify such extravagance in using the those who do pay their taxes promptly will be after him with a whole lot of sharp sticks: that, though he doesn't like to prod or spur ceptance, too, that the Court has allowed anybody to an uncomfortable degree, yet it is more agreeable to prod than be prodded, to spur than be spurred. Couseq point with emphasis to an item of \$55 allowpoint with emphasis to an item of \$55 allow-ed Dr. Gregory, for alleged services at Hogan. and ye had better be prepared for it!

Also, \$32 allowed Dr. Sawyer for three In sober earnestness, if you don't pay your taxes-now due and delinquent, too-within ic sore leg. The ailment having been known the next ten days, the City Collector must for the last dozen years to be incurable, the grumbler thought the payment of such a bill, chattels to satisfy the same. for voluntary service, was unjustifiable, especially as he understood that like necessary

ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE. Notice is hereby given that on the 18th

Now, while I admit that there is some day of December, 1884, John M. Moore, Meryears by Dr. Farrar, Sr., for about \$5 a year. ground of complaint at the action of the signed, a general assignment for the benefit gether excuse the Court, yet people should of all his creditors, and that I will, on remember the hundreds of appeals that are

at the store building lately occupied by said made to the County Court for aid, and the John M. Moore, in the City of Ironton, Iron county, Missouri, between 9 o'clock A. M. and succeed. Some of the most unworthy appeals come dressed in such affecting terms as to require a great deal of sternness to resist, on the part of the index. should thank the Court that they have done as well as they have in this matter, even though they might have acted with more in the same hours, for the adjustment and allowance of claims against the trust Several tax-payers would like to have you publish the two Dr. bills above referred to, so they can see two of the boles their money went out at.

Ironton, Mo., Dec. 19, 1884. Assign

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

stian duty, and the allow.

teps this, I am sure swill not complain.

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